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A HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR TO ALL

Christmas Eve

(Chester Prue)
"Down thru the chimney with lots of toys.
All for the little ones, Christmas joys."

There was a new boy that had moved into the house next to us just a month before Christmas. He was a rich boy but had been bad ever since I had known him. He told me of the big long letter of things that he had written to Santa Claus to bring him for Christmas.

When he went to bed, he went tight to sleep and started dreaming of the things on his list that he wanted. First on the list was a bicycle; next was a movie picture machine; an erector set with an electric motor; a carpenter set, and last of all ten pounds of chocolate drops. He then began to dream of the good time he would have playing with the different things he had asked for and the fine time he would have eating the chocolate drops.

When he awoke next morning, he dressed as quickly as possible and hurried down stairs. All he found under the tree was a big whip. He then went to the fire place where he had hung up his stocking, but he found only a note which said: "Be better next year and maybe I will bring some of the things you ordered for this Christmas."

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"A Suffering Neighbor"

Squawk! Squawk! Squawk! He is at it again! I have heard that a saxophone is a very pleasing instrument, but not as my neighbor plays it.

Fine thing! Here it is 10 o'clock and from the second story of the Emery house comes strains of what they call music. I have heard "Little Sir Echo" so much that every time I think of it, it nearly drives me crazy. I feel like echoing myself. One can hear that thing any time of night. Last week he was out to a dance, and when he came home at three he began to play that thing. I was so mad that I got out of bed and jumped right up and down. I thought I would stick my head out of the window and call for help, but I realized that no one could possibly hear me. The other night some one got so mad that he threw a rock at young Emery. The hurler made a little mistake and put the rock thru my window, hence his notes, if you may call those awful sounds notes, came thru my window that much louder. I have heard rumors that he is going to have a jam session up in his room tomorrow night. If this is to be, I will move out. My other neighbor's son over the street has a trumpet, and when those two boys get together, they nearly take the roof off the house.

His sax may sound awful, but I am glad that it is not a drum.

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To help remove the spots and stains that may come on table linens during the holiday season, New York State homemakers can receive a free copy of bulletin E-356, "Spot and Stain Removal," by writing to the Office of Publication, Roberts Hall, Ithaca, N. Y.

Mixed Chorus

Presents Novel Christmas Program

A new form of Christmas entertainment was presented to the pupils and townspeople of Andover on Tuesday, Dec. 19 by the mixed chorus of Andover Central School. Silhouettes of Christmas scenes were presented on a large screen by means of heavy paper cutouts pinned on the screen and tableaux formed by pupils behind the screen on which was cast a flood of multi-colored lights. Each scene was accompanied by appropriate Christmas carols sung by the hidden chorus and the whole program tied together with the hummed strains of "Silent Night."

The program was directed by Earl Giffin, music supervisor who was assisted by Mr. McKibben and Mr. Malloy in charge of the staging and silhouettes and Miss Wood and Miss Larkin, who were in charge of the costuming.

The scenes included the Nativity, medieval Christmas scenes and modern ones ending with one of Santa Claus and his reindeer on the house top which delighted the children very much.

A clarinet quartet by Ethel and Norma Crowner, Elaine Pope and Marilyn Hardy added variety to the musical program, as did the organ accompaniment to the chorus played by Eleanor Northrup.

The program was presented as an assembly program Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock and to the pupils in the evening at 8 o'clock.

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Andover Junior Varsity Defeated

The Andover Junior Varsity suffered a 24 to 11 defeat at the hands of the Canisteo Junior Varsity with Garton and Stevens doing most of the scoring. The Andover defense was considerably better than Canisteo's but they were outclassed on offense. The team as a whole showed little improvement over previous encounters. Matison was the outstanding defensive player for the team with Driscoll, Howland and Dodge scoring a good share of the points.

Andover	field	foul	tot.
J. Lynch, rf	0	0	0
G. Greenan, c-lf	0	0	0
E. Burdick, c	0	0	0
A. Matison, rg	0	0	0
R. Shaff, lg	0	1	1
J. Driscoll	1	0	2
J. Howland	1	0	2
J. Dean	1	0	2
J. Ahrens	0	0	0
V. Oakes	0	0	0
D. Emery	1	0	2
M. Gorsuch	0	0	0
P. Ryan	0	0	0
W. Vars	0	0	0
L. Dodge	1	0	2
S. Ruger	0	0	0
Totals	5	1	11

Canisteo	field	foul	tot.
Taylor, rf	0	0	0
Hollowell, lf	2	0	4
Gorton, c	3	0	6
Hilts, rg	3	0	6
Stevens, lg	3	0	6
Burdick	1	0	2
King	0	0	0
Aultman	0	0	0
Bloss	0	0	0
Cotton	0	0	0
Reynolds	0	0	0
Pratt	0	0	0
Meechan	0	0	0
Perkham	0	0	0
Sheehan	0	0	0
Bowells	0	0	0
Totals	12	0	24

"Trysting Place" Postponed

The cast of the "Trysting Place" has decided to postpone their play until after January exams.

The whole cast was overjoyed by the news because they all think they need more practice before presenting it.

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School to Reopen January 2

The Andover Central School closed last Thursday for the Christmas recess and will reopen Tuesday morning, Jan. 2, 1940.

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Student Council

Dance Outstanding Success

Sweater Swing Swell, Say Students

Over 60 couples, almost entirely of the high school students, last Thursday evening attended the first school dance to be sponsored by the Student Council and the comments from those attending and the pleased expressions on the faces of many happy boys and girls pronounced the party a huge success. The dance was held in the Andover High school gymnasium with music by an orchestra from the Ithaca School of Music.

This party culminates the efforts of the newly formed Student Council and the faculty to make high school dances for high school pupils rather than catering to out of town couples. To do this, the young people have been encouraged to come to "Social Hour" and learn to dance and to practice proper social conduct. The price of the dance was set at 50 cents per couple, and thru the activities of the Student Council, assistance in getting "dates" was given. Dancing was held from 8:30 until 11:30 with no intermission.

The orchestra, which was secured thru the efforts of Earl Giffin, played a variety of snappy dance tunes thru the evening, with a group of novelty stunts in music by some of the individual members. One of the dance tunes played was composed by Mr. Giffin, local music supervisor.

The door prize, a two and a half pound box of candy donated by the Clair's Pharmacy, was won by Warren Dolan.

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Scio Is Scene of December Meeting

Six representatives of the Hi Herald traveled to Scio last Tuesday evening for the second meeting of the A. C. S. P. A. The meeting was held in the cafeteria of the new central school. In order to fulfill recent demands, popular pieces were played and sung by pupils and the teachers.

Miss Gold of Friendship conducted a program based on the knowledge gained by herself and students at the State meeting held in Syracuse. Three pupils gave reports on the policy to be followed in editorial, business management and making-up of the paper.

An unusual entertainment was sponsored by the Belfast Central School. The principal, Mr. Dyer, was interviewed by a student reporter on the subject of the new assembly program, "Information Please." Following, three students read examples of poorly written, and well written composition-type articles based on this interview. The March get-together will be at Richburg.

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Sport Shorts

The Sophomores on the second team outplayed the Juniors against Canisteo. They scored ten out of the eleven points which were made by Andover.

Ping pong may be a girls' game but you see a lot of boys playing it lately around the school. Look up back-stage some night if you don't believe it.

Believe it or not, Andover Central has five complete basketball teams on the squad this year. One of the largest squads that ever came out for basketball in this school.

What's the matter with Andover in shooting fouls? They only have made 14 per cent of them in the first three games.

Louis Fulkerson is getting to be a fancy passer, but the other players can't tell who the ball is going to. The other night Bill Dugan caught one of his passes on the head.

The Andover boys showed much improvement in the Canisteo game over the Wellsville game one week ago.

The next game is the Alfred-Almond game at Andover Jan. 4th. This is the first league game and the Andover team will be ready to turn them back.

The second team isn't living up to its last year's record. Last year they didn't lose a home game and this year they have lost two out of the three. What's the matter?

The new suits make the players look pretty classy, whether they are or not.

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Gettin' Around -

At the Sweater Swingtime

The halls of old Andover Hi resounded once more to the first dance of the year—lights dim, music low, voices murmuring, laughs echoing, faces beaming. There were a few awed faces at the beginning, those of first-timers-at-a-dance. The happy spirit of having as good a time as possible in three hours prevailed.

As at every dance, there were a few incidents to record:

The first couples to arrive were the Freshmen. Trust them to be punctual.

Johnny and Eleanor looked nice together—very tiny, but very all right.

The many graders who were so "grown up."

Tex and Nicky (Louie and Betty Jo) seemed to enjoy each other's company as much as usual (when they found time to dance together).

Bud got there, after all.

The eternal foursome came, even if the masculine part couldn't dance (Betty, Lyle, Bernie and Ernie).

Congratulations, Naz! How was the candy?

Say, that Shaff boy is really getting to be a smooth dancer.

Mr. Giffin's song was okay, and how.

There were a few who didn't know what a sweet potato was.

The floor was gave the Student Council members a little trouble because it almost couldn't be found.

Acquaintances were glad to have Jack drop in.

Stan seemed to rush Irene.

No intermission seemed funny, but this dance was new and different all the way 'round.

Whatcha know—no one fell down! Who is really Andover's jitterbug, Leo or Vince?

Didja notice three out of five fellows wore white sweaters?

Seems to me Lyle Ordway's mind runs in dates and girls.

Didja notice Mary Padden's long green ribbon? How long was it really, Mary?

Is or isn't Ham writing the other half of this column?

Barbara Temple goes in for the flashy—take that red, purple and white blouse of her's for example.

Does Bud always have his hand on his hip in Study Hall?

You could see feet in the Xmas shadow play. Who was the little girl? Viewers were restless between scenes, but must have enjoyed it by the amount of applause at the end.

What's this about the Glee Club dance? Only members can go?

The Varsity A should soon be having an after-game dance. How about the next home game?

The fellows should take to wearing shorts, or so it seems. They roll up their pants at any rate.

Johnny and Eleanor have a terrible time trying to draw circles, even with a compass.

Barbara Temple knocked out one tooth and greatly loosened another in gym class when she fell on the stair railing.

Santa stood all alone Tuesday night in Wellsville, ankle deep in rain and with an umbrella.

Miss Larkin remembered to get in the right car at the press meeting; this time.

Popular songs were sung at Scio and the enthusiasm was great. Why not try them in assembly?

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Honor Rolls for Third Period Announced

The following pupils earned places on the honor rolls for the third marking period which ended December 15th:

First Grade
First Honors: Kathleen Bell, Raymond Burdick, Phyllis Burger, Dean Fisher, Gerald Joyce, Robert Ordway, Mary Ray.

Second Honors: Archie Baker, John Dougherty, Marcella Smith.

Second Grade
First Honors: Frances Baker, Robert Carpenter, Gloria Clair, Clarence Davis, Lois Honegger, Donna Nobles, Richard Reisman, Donald Scott.

Second Honors: Ronald Atwell, LeRoy Caple, Robert Coats, Mary Ellen Connors, Robert Dunham, Virginia Ellis, George Franklin, Teresa Joyce, Donald Loper, Betty Reisman, Joseph Smith.

Third Grade
First Honors: John Baker, Velda Baker, Robert Burger, Marcella Carpenter, John Connor, Edna Mae Cooper, James Dawson, Mary Ellen Driscoll, Josephine Hosley, Rosemary Mead, Norma Perry.

Second Honors: Paul Becker, Richard Burdick, Bertha Cartwright, Beverly Clair, Ella Mae Clair, Kenneth Cooper, Mary Margaret Dean, Dorothy Dodge, Duane Ellis, Ann Marie Greene, Mary Alice Horan, Margaret Jackson, Richard Lynch, Bruce Nye, Lucy Ray, Joan Woodruff, Ernest Woodworth.

Fourth Grade
First Honors: Rosemary Baker, James Burgett, Lila Childs, Karl Fisher, Sandra Hedrick, Lois Ordway, Kenneth Shimwell, Robert Smith, Wenonah Smith, Johanne Theetge, Helen Yannie.

Second Honors: Phyllis Burdick, Patricia Dolan, Kathryn Joyce, Kevin Lynch, Phyllis Nye, Dolores Snyder.

Fifth Grade
First Honors: Patricia Ludden, Dorothy Mead, James Smith.

Second Honors: Henry Burton, Geraldine Lynch, Margaret Reisman, Beverly Stevens, Carl Loper.

Sixth Grade
First Honors: Donald Burger, Victor Clark, William Dougherty, Virginia Loring, Norma Steadman, Patricia Temple, Janice Walton.

Second Honors: Elfrida Allen, Ethel Gilliland, John Horan, Patricia Joyce, Barbara Lehman, Lois Matison, Aletha Perry, Mareta Perry, Clarence Stearns.

Seventh Grade
First Honors: Orianna Allen, Alta Hawks, Houston Hughes, Craig Snyder.

Second Honors: Marlene Coats, Clara Hann, Susan McAndrew, Veronica Ray.

Eighth Grade
First Honors: Charles Hall.

Second Honors: Norma Crowner, Mary Cannon, Doris Sick, Kenneth Cook.

High School
First Honors: Betty Jo Ludden, Victor Oakes, Jean Rogers, Doris Mead.

Second Honors: Dorothy Lincoln, Kaliopy Karcanes, Eleanor Northrup, Audrey Joyce, Dorothy Baker, Mary Elaine Baker, Ruth Jean Button, Louise Freeland, Arthur Temple.

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Letter to Hi Herald Adviser

Dear Hi Herald Adviser:

Our house is so small that it is almost impossible for me to entertain my fellow students at home. How can I have a party and be sure that they enjoy themselves? I hope you will be able to help solve this problem for me.

WORRIED

There are many kinds of parties you can have, even though your house is small.

This time of year is an excellent time for out-of-door parties. A sleighing party would be fun. Invite a group of your friends and have some of the boys bring toboggans and find a nice place for tobogganing. Spend the evening tobogganing and later return to your home for light refreshments. This will overcome the difficulty of insufficient room for a party.

Another suggestion might be an ice skating party for your friends if they enjoy this sport. With the pond close at hand, a skating party should provide an evening of entertainment for your friends and end your difficulties when it comes your turn to entertain.

I hope my suggestions have been of some help to you.

Yours truly,
Your Hi Herald Adviser

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The annual winter meeting of vegetable and potato growers is scheduled for January 4 and 5, 1940 at Utica.

Many Pupils Still Have Perfect Attendance

One hundred and eighty-six pupils in Andover Central School have been neither absent nor tardy since school opened in September, according to reports made by grade and high school home room teachers. The list is as follows:

Grade One
Raymond Burdick, George Gavin, Marie Kemp, Eugene Wyckoff.

Grade Two
LeRoy Caple, Gloria Clair, Robert Coats, Mary Ellen Connor, Clarence Davis, Charles Dougherty, Robert Dunham, Actie Glover, William Gorsuch, Anna Halsey, Robert Halsey, Lois Honegger, Glenn Hughes, Clyde Jackson, Joan Jackson, Leo Joyce, Teresa Joyce, Darwin Lehman, Daniel Lynch, Ligouri Lynch, Richard Olmstead, Betty Reisman, Richard Reisman, Billy Ryan, Thomas Ryan, Donald Scott, Joseph Smith, Charles Snyder, Beverly Voorhees.

Grade Three
Beverly Clair, John Connor, Dorothy Dodge, Louise Dunham, Duane Ellis, John Gavin, Reta Jean Goodridge, Ann Marie Greene, Donald Greenan, Francis Halsey, Richard Lynch, Rosemary Mead, Norma Perry, Leo Reisman, Edward Ryan, Ernestine Witter.

Grade Four
Doris Atwell, James Burgett, Harold Dodge, Patricia Dolan, James Gavin, Gerald Goodridge, Robert Gorsuch, Sandra Hedrick, Kathryn Joyce, George Lynch, Kevin Lynch, Kenneth Shimwell, Johanne Theetge.

Grade Five
Joann Baker, Henry Burton, Lloyd Clair, Ina Cooper, George Geary, Edward Halsey, Patricia Ludden, Geraldine Lynch, Dorothy Mead, Phyllis Temple.

Grade Six
Donald Baker, Victor Clark, Florence Dodge, William Dougherty, Edith Drew, Basil Dunham, Elizabeth Gilliland, Ethel Gilliland, Max Greene, Robert Jackson, Barbara Lehman, Earl Leon, Jean Lynch, Lois Matison, Donald Northrup, Donald Ordway, Norma Steadman, Janice Walton, James Witter.

Grade Seven
Orianna Allen, Harry Bell, Betty Bergman, Ronald Clark, Marlene Coats, Erma Cooper, Beatrice Dean, Arretta Dunham, Albert Fisher, William Goodridge, Jean Halsey, Clara Hann, Kenneth Howland, Houston Hughes, Elizabeth Joyce, Eldon Kapple, Susan McAndrew, Neil McOrnick, Carlton Ordway, Bernice Ray, James Reisman, Argene Shimwell, Walter Shimwell, Helen Smith, Craig Snyder, Richard Steadman, Marjorie Vars, Joseph Yannie.

Grade Eight
Bernard Burger, Kenneth Cook, Francis Gavin, Charles Hall, Roland Kemp, Paul Kilbane, Dewey Northrup, Ruby Biehl, Carrie Biehl, Marion Cronk, Virginia Joyce, Ruth Lynch, Betty Rogers, Doris Sick.

Freshmen
Dorothy Baker, Mary Elaine Baker, Julia Bell, Ruth Jean Button, Paul Dunham, Betty Halsey, Carl Ingraham, George Karcanes, Brice Kenyon, Cecelia Lynch, Martina Lynch, Doris Mead, Florence Mings, Elaine Pope, Claude Shellman, Arthur Temple, Rose Yannie.

Sophomores
Marjory Davis, Wanda Dolan, Margaret Lynch, Mary Padden, Stanley Ruger, Marion Steadman, Wendall Vars, Lena Mae Voorhees.

Juniors
John Ahrens, Jean Dunham, Kenneth Gath, George Greenan, Anna Hardy, Lucille Joyce, Betty Jo Ludden, John Lynch, Mary Mesler, Eleanor Northrup, Lyle Ordway, Roland Shaff.

Seniors
Jessie Burger, Letha Callaghan, Vivian Connor, William Flint, Betty Greene, Kaliopy Karcanes, Irene Lynch, Jean Northrup, Aline Reisman, Carol Walton.

Post Graduate
Rosemary Lynch, Coretha Mead.

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The Little Clock

It was Christmas Eve and all was quiet except the little clock that kept ticking along in a little song. Then the little clock struck one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine, ten, eleven and then eleven-thirty, but still no sound.

When the little clock struck 12 there was a song of bells and then footsteps on the roof. Out of the fireplace stepped a short, fat man with a large bag. He filled each stocking one by one and never made a sound. After his work was finished he stepped back into the fireplace and again the sound of footsteps and a song of bells were heard. In the stillness there was only the little clock with its tick-tock.

It now is growing near morning, and the little clock ticks on. It strikes eight, and one hears a clatter of feet down the stairs and children.

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Country

Davis Hill

(Mrs. Floyd Slocum, Reporter)

Dec. 26.—Mr. and Mrs. Halsey entertained at a Christmas dinner at their home. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Halsey and three daughters, Mrs. Charles Halsey of Andover, and Fred Halsey.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dodge family attended a family Christmas dinner at the home of her mother, Ernest Orvis at Andover Christmas Day. There were 15 present.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Green family were Christmas dinner of their son, Ford and family, Wellsville, also visiting Christmas and family of the same place.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Davis and family were Sunday guests of Mr. Mrs. Elmer Coats at a family dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hoagland and Mrs. Floyd Slocum were in town Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hoagland and family and Ronald Hoagland were dinner guests of their Mrs. Alta Hoagland at Christmas Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dodge family and Victor Hoagland family and children attended the Christmas party and program at the Methodist church in Andover, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Slocum were visitors at Victor Hoagland's day afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Coats and Mrs. Frank Halsey were in town Wednesday.

Voorhees Hill

(Mrs. Harold Church, Reporter)

Dec. 26.—Mr. and Mrs. R. Schaack and children were guests of a family dinner at the home of Mrs. Guy Coates of North Andover Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Abram Slocum and Mrs. Howard Vars were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lewis, Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Roy Van and family spent Christmas at Carol Church and family.